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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
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Re: Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Application of Serial No. 09/488,644
and continuation of International Application PCT/DK01/00036
For: PORPHYRIN CONTAINING LACTIC ACID
BACTERIAL CELLS AND USE THEREOF
Inventors: Asger GEPPEL *et al.*
Our Reference.: 54337.000010

Dear Sir:

Attached is a new patent application for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office including thirty (30) pages of specification, three (3) pages of claims (numbered 1-28), an Abstract, and thirteen (13) sheets of drawings (labeled Figs. 1A-7). This application derives priority, as a continuation-in-part, ("CIP") from pending U.S. patent application serial number 09/488,644 filed January 21, 2000, and International application number PCT/DK01/00036, filed January 18, 2001.

Also attached is an unexecuted Joint Declaration For Patent Application And Power Of Attorney and a Preliminary Amendment.

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